

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Rameshkumar G. Illikkal et al. ) Examiner: Mered, Habte  
Application No.: 10/712,640 ) Art Unit: 2616  
Filed: November 12, 2003 ) Confirmation No.: 8973  
For: METHOD AND SYSTEM TO PRE-FETCH )  
A PROTOCOL CONTROL BLOCK FOR )  
NETWORK PACKET PROCESSING )  
)

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111 AND 1.121**

Sir/Madam:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 12, 2007, the Examiner is respectfully solicited to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.